

(SRI H. M. CHANNABASAPPA)

villages—Estimate is sanctioned, work is not taken up as the required number of parties (70 per cent of the sanctioned number) are not ready.

Posting of Permanent Head Masters to High Schools in Gulbarga District.

*Q.—122. Sri VEERENDRA PATIL (Chincholi).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) the number of Head Masters of High Schools and Multi—purpose High Schools in Gulbarga District who are working as in-charge or officiating Head Masters ;

(b) the time required for the Government to make permanent arrangement in this behalf ?

A.—Sri ANNA RAO GANAMUKHI (Minister for Education).—

(a) No. working on in-charge basis — One

No. working on officiating basis — Sixteen.

(b) The question of making permanent arrangements could be considered only after the finalisation of the Inter-State Seniority List and Cadre and Recruitment Rules of the Department of Public Instruction.

Transfer of District Board Roads in Tumkur District to the Management of Public Works Department.

*Q.—126. Sri T. N. MUDALAGIRI GOWDA (Kunigal).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) the number of District Board roads in Tumkur District which are fit for traffic together with the number of them which are not fit ;

(b) whether they would consider the question of transferring all the District Board roads to the management of the Public Works Department in their next phased programme ?

A.—Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA (Minister for Public Works and Electricity).—

(a) Of a total number of 358 District Board roads, 45 are fit for traffic and the rest are not fit for fast and heavy traffic.

(b) The question of taking over some more of the District Board roads to P.W.D. is under examination.

Government Bus from Bangalore to Hoskote

*Q.—170. Sri P. ANJANAPPA (Sira).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) whether the permit for plying a Government bus from Bangalore to Hoskote had been sent for the countersignature of the R.T.O., Ananthapur ;

(b) if so, whether the permit has been received ;

(c) the steps taken by them to run the bus ?

A.—Sri K. F. PATIL (Minister for Forest and Transport).—

(a) Yes.

(b) No.

(c) The matter is being pursued with the Regional Transport Authority, Ananthapur. The bus will be run as soon as the countersignature is obtained from the Regional Transport Authority, Ananthapur.

Amount spent for Maintenance of Channapura-Kakanur Road.

*Q.—190. Sri KUNDUR RUDRAPPA (Channagiri).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) when the road between Channapura crossing to Kakanur (on Sulekere-Sasalu Road) of 6 miles length was handed over to the District Board ;

(b) the amount spent so far for its maintenance (up-to-date figures may be given) ?

A.—Sri T. SUBRAMANYA (Minister for Law, Labour and Local Self-Government).—

(a) It was not handed over to the District Board.

(b) Rs. 997 during 1958-59.

Veterinary Compounders in the State.

*Q.—347. Sri M. LINGE GOWDA (Kanakapura).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) the number of Veterinary Compounders in the State ;

(b) their scales of pay ;

(c) the minimum qualification required for their job ?

A.—Sri N. RACHIAH (Minister for Agriculture, Excise and Social Welfare).—

(a) 268.

(b) Junior Grade: Rs. 30—1—40.
Senior Grade: Rs. 40—2—60.

(c) (i) Educational Qualification :—VIII Standard.

(ii) Should have passed the Veterinary Compounders' Training Course.

2 P.M.

ADDITIONAL AND SUPPLEMENTARY DEMANDS FOR GRANTS FOR THE YEAR 1959-60.

Sri T. MARIAPPA (Minister for Finance).—Sir, with your permission, I move :

“That on the recommendation of the Governor of Mysore, a further sum not exceeding Rs. 33,800 be granted to the Government to defray the charges which will come in course of payment during the year ending 31st day of March 1960, in respect of Taxes on Income other than Corporation Tax.”

Mr. SPEAKER.—Motion moved :

“That a further sum not exceeding Rs. 33,800 be granted to

the Government to defray the charges which will come in course of payment during the year ending 31st day of March 1960, in respect of taxes on Income other than Corporation Tax.”

All the Demands are before the House and Hon'ble Members may make remarks on all the Demands. I need not remind the Hon'ble Members that the scope of the discussion is very much limited. The Hon'ble Members will make remarks only in respect of the items mentioned.

†Sri V. SRINIVASA SHETTY (Coondapur).—I should not like to touch upon all the demands. Only with regard to two of the demands I wish to make a few remarks because we will have ample opportunities to make observations at the time of general discussion on the Budget. Under Demand No. 17—Police, I find the following explanatory Note :

“Some of the Police Officers who were dismissed from service had filed civil suits and the Court held the orders passed by the Superintendent of Police, Belgaum, as void and the plaintiffs deemed to be still in service and also passed decrees that the defendant i.e., Government should pay to the plaintiffs their arrears of pay, etc., as also the cost of the suits. No stay could be granted being money decrees and the total sum of Rs. 10,688-5-3 was required to be deposited in the Court before 18th February 1960.”

We find that innumerable civil suits and writ petitions are being filed against the actions of the Government. I do not know whether this Government are very badly served by their legal advisers or they did not care for the rules or they did not care for the laws they themselves are bound to obey. Even in this supplementary estimate, I find a few instances of their being called upon to pay the amounts after decrees were obtained. I feel that when the party is the